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**NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): *Georg Sczakiel; Valentin Vlassov; Pavel Laktionov; Elena Rykova; Svetlana Tamkovic; Tat'yana Skvortsova*

For (title): **METHOD FOR EARLY DETECTION AND MONITORING OF DISEASES BY ANALYSIS OF CELL-SURFACE-BOUND NUCLEIC ACIDS**

**1. Type of Application**

This application is for a **continuation-in-part (C-I-P)**.

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**2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Applications (35 U.S.C. §§ 119(e), 120, or 121)**

The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. applications. Enclosed are **ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATIONS CLAIMED.**

**3. Papers Enclosed**

**A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. § 1.153 (Design) Application**

6 Page(s) of Specification

2 Page(s) of Claims

3 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Formal (TABLES 1 - 4)

**B. Other Papers Enclosed**

4 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney

1 Page(s) of abstract

**4. Additional Papers Enclosed**

Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. § 1.98)

Form PTO-1449 (PTO/SB/08A and 08B)

Petition For Revival of an International Application For Patent Designating the U.S. Abandoned Unintentionally (37 C.F.R. 1.137(b))

**5. Declaration or Oath**

Enclosed

Executed by:

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**6. Inventorship Statement**

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

**7. Language**

English

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**8. Assignment**

An assignment of the invention to **UNIVERSITÄTSKLINIKUM SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN** is attached. A separate "COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) ACCOMPANYING NEW PATENT APPLICATION" is also attached.

**9. Certified Copy**

Certified copy of application:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application Number</u>	<u>Filed</u>
<i>Russia</i>	<i>2003125486</i>	<i>08/18/2003</i>

from which priority is claimed will follow.

**10. Fee Calculation**

**Utility Application**

Basic fee (\$300.00)	\$	300.00
Search fee (\$500.00)	\$	500.00
Examination fee (\$200.00)	\$	200.00

**Fees for Claims**

CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	
Total Claims	4 - 20 =	0	x \$ 50.00 =	<u>\$0.00</u>
Independent Claims	1 - 3 =	0	x \$ 200.00 =	<u>0.00</u>
Multiple DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable)			+ \$ 360.00	<u>0.00</u>
				<u>\$0.00</u>
Total utility filing fee calculation			\$	\$1,000.00

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11. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time

37 C.F.R. § 1.16 (a), (b), or (c) (basic fee).	\$	300.00
37 C.F.R. § 1.16 (k), (l), or (m) (search fee)	\$	500.00
37 C.F.R. § 1.16(o), (p), or (q) (examination fee)	\$	200.00

Recording assignment (\$40; 37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h)) (See attached "COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT ACCOMPANYING NEW APPLICATION".)	\$	40.00
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Petition Fee for Revival of Application Abandoned Unintentionally (\$1,500; 37 C.F.R. 1.17(m))	\$	1,500.00
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<b>Total Fees Enclosed</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b><u>2,540.00</u></b>
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12. Method of Payment of Fees

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of **\$2,540.00** to Deposit Account No. **120551** in the name of *Larson & Larson, PA.*

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APPLICATIONS CLAIMED  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.78)**

**13. Relate Back**

Amend the specification by inserting, before the first line following the title, the following sentence:

**A. 35 U.S.C. Sections 120, 121 and 365(c)**

"This application is a **continuation-in-part** of copending

International Application number **PCT/EP2004/009218** filed on **August 17, 2004**, and which designated the U.S."

**B. Publication of International Application—Provisional Protection**

The international application corresponding to the instant application was published under PCT Article 21(2) in the English language.

**14. Relate Back--35 U.S.C. Section 119 Priority Claim for Prior Application**

The prior U.S. application(s), including any prior International Application designating the U.S., identified above in the section entitled, "Relate Back--35 U.S.C. Sections 120, 121 and 365(c)," in turn itself claim(s) foreign priority(ies) as follows:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application Number</u>	<u>Filed</u>
<i>Russia</i>	<i>2003125486</i>	<i>08/18/2003</i>

**15. Further Inventorship Statement Where Benefit of Prior Application(s) Claimed**

- (a) This application discloses and claims additional disclosure by amendment and a new declaration or oath is being filed. With respect to the prior application, the inventors in this application are the same.

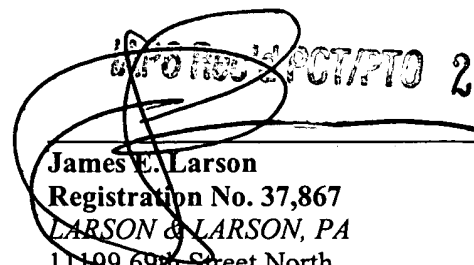
**16. Abandonment of Prior Application**

Please abandon the prior application at a time while the prior application is pending, or when the petition for extension of time or to revive in that application is granted, and when this application is granted a filing date, so as to make this application copending with said prior application.

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